

OLD MAIDS SWEETEN THEIR TEA WITH SCANDAL.—H. W. Shaw

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## G. A. TAKES FRYEBURG 41-14 IN FRIDAY GAME

Gould Academy had little trouble winning over an exceptionally weak Fryeburg Academy team here last Friday. The visitors tried hard to hold the score down and succeeded in the first and third periods, but the winners put on some real scoring spurts, as they garnered 18 points in the second stanza and 14 in the final.

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| lf, McInnis | 5  | 4 | 14 |
| lf, Winter  | 0  | 0 | 0  |
| c, Berry    | 10 | 1 | 21 |
| c, Stowell  | 0  | 0 | 0  |
| rg, Elmer   | 1  | 0 | 2  |
| lg, Bennett | 0  | 0 | 0  |
| lg, Young   | 1  | 0 | 2  |
|             | 13 | 5 | 41 |

FRYEBURG (14)

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| rf, Burnell   | 2 | 1 | 5  |
| lf, Odell     | 1 | 3 | 5  |
| lf, Gallagher | 1 | 0 | 2  |
| c, Barnes     | 1 | 0 | 2  |
| rg, Nevens    | 0 | 0 | 0  |
| lg, Lord      | 0 | 0 | 0  |
| lg, Thurston  | 0 | 0 | 0  |
|               | 5 | 4 | 14 |

Score by periods:

G. A. 7 25 27 41

F. A. 2 5 7 14

Time—4 eights. Referee—Gardiner Morrill.

MORTON T. ABBOTT

Morton T. Abbott died at his home at Mechanic Falls last Thursday night after an illness of a week. He was born in Bethel Feb. 14, 1868, the son of John and Sarah Coffin Farrington. He lived in Locke Mills and Bethel many years, going to Mechanic Falls in 1919 where with his son he conducted a grocery business until they closed the store last year.

Mr. Abbott is survived by his wife, Nellie Elwell Abbott; a son, Ralph E. Abbott; a grandson, Pvt. Donald Abbott, Camp Blanding, Fla.; two granddaughters, Shirley and Beverly Abbott; a half sister, Mrs. Sarah Gunther of Bethel; and several nephews and nieces.

Funeral services were held from the home Sunday afternoon, Rev. William Chase of the Buckland Baptist Church officiating. Burial was at Maple Grove cemetery.



Cpl. John W. Peabody of the 103 CATT has been on furlough and spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Peabody. Cpl. Peabody is on duty as an anti-aircraft gunner on a British troop ship and has made 13 round trips across the Atlantic during the past year.

I wish to thank the Bethel Service Club for the nice Christmas box I received. It was in good condition and very much appreciated.—Pfc. Harold W. Young.

Word has been received from Chief Warrant Officer Rupert Conroy that he has arrived safely somewhere overseas.

Sgt. LeRoy L. Martin Jr., son of LeRoy Martin of Greenwood and Mrs. Laurence Towle of Auburn, was recently promoted to Staff Sergeant. He is a radio operator on a plane, and is now receiving training at Blythe, Calif.

Pvt. Bruce Scarborough of Fort Bragg, N. C., is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Scarborough.

Pfc. Edward Wheeler returned to Camp Gordon Johnston, Fla., Wednesday morning.

Ensign Kathleen Wight of Brooklyn, N. Y., visited her mother, Mrs. Lenz Wight, from Sunday to Tuesday.

Gordon E. Chase, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Alden Chase, Bryant Pond, who is serving as communications officer with the Marines in the Southwest Pacific, was recently promoted to Captain. Another son, Lt. Stephen Chase, is now attending special lectures at Maxwell Field, Ala.

Cpl. Kenneth Buck returned to Camp Edwards, Mass., Tuesday night after spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Buck, and family, North Woodstock.

Mrs. Ray Hansom of Greenwood has heard from Mr. Hansom that he arrived in England December 22, 1943.

Pfc. George Luxton, U. S. M. C. who has been spending a few days at home, returned to New River, N. C., on Monday.

Donald M. Frazer, Upton, of the San Diego has been transferred from F-1 to E-3, 108th Batt. C. B. P. 4, Camp Parks, Calif.

## MISS ALICE PIERCE HEADS YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

The following officers were elected at the meeting of the Youth Fellowship of the Methodist Church Sunday evening:

President—Miss Alice Pierce

1st Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Herbertina Brooks

2d Vice-Pres.—Lynwood Wheeler

3d Vice-Pres.—Miss Wilma Bean

4th Vice-Presidents — Jerrold Davis and Miss Dorothy Judkins

Secretary—Miss Mary Wentzell

Treasurer—Stanley Judkins

Plans were made to hold a sliding party Friday evening at 6:30.

MAINE IN WASHINGTON

From the Office of Owen Brewster, U. S. S.

## Fuel Problem

The reports are now available on the receipts of both bituminous and anthracite coal in New England during this past year and they are not calculated to give reassurance to New England homes or industries.

The reports show a decline of one million tons in the amount of bituminous coal received in New England during the calendar year 1943 over the amount received in 1942 or a decline of approximately 10 percent.

Anthracite shows a similar decline of something over 9 percent for a total of more than 500,000 tons.

500,000 tons of anthracite coal were well calculated to help a lot of New England homes and the absence of this amount in New England coal bins as of January 1st this year cannot help but have a most unfortunate effect—particularly when it is associated with an increased consumption of anthracite in connection with certain other military installations.

In the calendar year 1942 New England received 6,128,200 tons of anthracite coal. In the calendar year 1943 New England received 5,672,500 tons of anthracite coal.

For bituminous coal, 1942 showed 11,527,725 tons and 1943 showed 10,521,000 tons.

Controversy rages in Washington and elsewhere as to how far this situation was occasioned by the coal strike or how far by other shortages of manpower. It seems safe to assume, however, that the situation was certainly not helped by the coal strikes which cut down the production of coal by many million tons and trebled the loss of man-days of employment by strikes during the year 1943 over the year 1942.

In 1942 there were 4,182,000 man-days of employment lost by strikes while in 1943, for an 11-month period, there were 12,785,000 man-days lost by strikes.

## What About National Service

With four million American boys overseas their parents cannot be patient with idleness at home. Every day is marked with increased loss of life. Any slackening down of effort here is sure to be reflected in a revival of hope on the Axis side of the line. Any slowdown here limits to some extent the striking power of our sons in this mechanized warfare and that means their further sacrifice.

It is no use to talk about what might have been done or what should have been done except to make clear why drastic action is required at this time.

Universal service of men and

## BETHEL GIRL SCOUT TROOP REORGANIZED

The Girl Scouts were reorganized this month by Mrs. O'Brien, who has been the leader since 1939. Owing to poor health she is resigning and Mrs. Elmer Bennett is taking her place.

The scouts will be sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary again this year and they have voted to pay the membership dues of the troop committee which has consisted for the last three years of Jane Van, chairman, Mrs. Ruth Carver, Mrs. Gertrude Boyker, Mrs. Mildred Scarborough and Mrs. O'Brien. Mrs. O'Brien will remain on the Troop Committee to give what help she may be able to to the new leader.

Scouts registering this year are Marlene Anderson, Jane Annis, Eleanor Gurney, Marilyn Judkins, Ruth Donahue, Barbara Pretty, Phyllis Merrill, Lorraine Swan, Lois Ann Van.

Later on the Troop Committee will conduct a drive for funds. It is hoped that this worthwhile organization will be a part of our community for a long time to come.

The time for you to join the Girl Scouts is now. Do so at once if you are between 10 and 14 years old.

The Girl Scouts met at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Legion Rooms. Mrs. O'Brien led the meeting. Worked on badges. Badges were presented as follows: Second class to Gurney, Annis, Pretty, Winter Sports to Anderson, Gurney, Judkins, Pretty, Annis, Donahue, Merrill, Van. My Community Home Nursing to Van. Swimmers Anderson.

The girls chose their Patrol leaders by ballot. Marlene Anderson, Leader Patrol 1; Marilyn Judkins, Patrol Second. Ruth Donahue, Leader Patrol 2; Barbara Pretty, Patrol Second.

Next week the Secretary and Scribe will be chosen and the new leader will be introduced.

money might well have been adopted at the start of the war as long advocated by the American Legion. The relations between labor and capital might well have been frozen in the beginning as they were under William Howard Taft and Frank P. Walsh in 1917 who were given full and final authority by Woodrow Wilson to handle the industrial front. Failure of a plant to unionize, it was then stipulated, should not be considered a grievance. This was the key to the remarkable measure of stability that was achieved in industrial relations.

But these things have not been done. The President has sought to handle the situation with a variety of boards, and agencies and changing regulations with the clear possibility always in the background that he would intervene himself if necessary.

Stern opposition was presented to any legislation and we rapidly drifted into a government of men and not of laws.

Labor policy was all too often found hiding behind Madam Perkins' capacious skirts. The elimination by the administration of a cabinet of organized labor from the Cabinet has borne bitter fruit in the unofficial and irresponsible advice the President has necessarily received on labor questions from leaders without government rank or authority through the

meat and fats: Brown Stamp U in Book Three becomes good with stamps R, S, and T through January 29. Stamp V will become good January 23 through February 26.

Processed Foods: Green stamps D, E and F in Book Four good through January 20. Stamp G, H, and J good to February 20.

Sugar: "Sugar" stamp 29 in back of Book Four expires January 15. Stamp 30 good January 16 for five pounds to March 31.

Shoes: Aeroplane stamp number one in Book Three valid for one pair indefinitely. Stamp 18 in Book One still valid for an indefinite period also. To control the black market, loose coupons cannot be accepted except with a mail order.

Fuel Oil: Period Two coupon valid to February 8. Period Three coupons good to March 14. Class four worth 50 gallons, class five worth 50 gallons.

Tire Inspection: Ascar deadline March 31. C-Bar deadline and new C-Bar deadline February 23.

Gasoline: Number 8 stamp, in A Book valid for three gallons through February 8. B and B-1, C and C-1 coupons good for two gallons. Only the new coupons B-2 and C-2 are good for five gallons.

Meats and Fats: Brown Stamp V in Book Three becomes good January 23 through Feb. 21. Stamps R, S, T and U good through Jan. 29. Stamp W will become good January 30 through February 29.

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bitter factional struggles that have ensued and for which the selection of Madame Perkins as Secretary of Labor was apparently designed.

Meanwhile, 25,000,000 unorganized workers have seen their situation steadily deteriorate as the struggle between agriculture and organized labor left them farther and farther in the rear.

Now we are confronted by a condition and not a theory. The simple solution of a firm and uniform treatment of all elements in our economy would have commanded universal cooperation. The President has had complete power to prevent any undue profits by cooperation under the existing renegotiation statute. The President has at all times insisted on exclusive handling of the labor situation. The exceptions which he has made to his own ruling have opened a Pandora's box of troubles.

Now national service seems to be the only answer as a result of the failure of a firm fatiguing from the start. The American people are entirely capable of appreciating the responsibility. Organized labor has been taken for a ride by designing politicians and is paying a tragic price.

The long-established principle of keeping union labor clear of political participation is being vindicated by events. Samuel Gompers knew that putting labor in politics meant putting politics in labor. Politicians in the end were bound to win at the expense of labor. Everyone suffers while labor shuffles from one master to another in which it has been led by the administration and its agents to the detriment of the workers.

Given under our hands, the 16th day of January 1944.

ERNEST P. PRUITT

CAROLINE E. ALDRICH

## To the People of this Community

### THINK IT OVER

How about doing a little cold turkey thinking after you lay aside this newspaper tonight?

You've got a good job. The chances are there is something else in your family, perhaps two or three working brother—brother—brother—brother away at war.

This war must end sometime. Your whole family, your neighbors, are praying it ends soon and those fighting boys will all come home safely.

But will you do whatever happens when peace comes? Will you have something laid away? We're all hoping there'll be jobs aplenty, lots which mean making something for somebody's happiness and not for somebody's sorrow.

That's where your War Bonds come into the picture. Since Americans own billions of dollars of War Bonds now; and before long our 4th War Loan ends they will have put away billions more. But are you saving up? You're the one that has the bigger pile of War Bonds you have when peace comes, the bigger chance you'll have to slip right into the post-war world you're dreaming about tonight.

So "Let's All Back the Attack."

THE EDITOR,

## VILLAGE SCHOOL LUNCHES POPULAR WITH PUPILS—MORE VEGETABLES NEEDED

The school lunch program started this week, sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association, is much appreciated by the pupils. Approximately 100 pupils have been served daily this week and there will be more as pupils who are ill return to school.

Potatoes, carrots and onions are among the vegetables most needed. Any farmer who has a surplus of these vegetables would greatly assist the lunch program by a small contribution of these vegetables which may be left at the home of Mrs. Ava Austin who prepares the lunches.

Now is the time to get rid of

and papers in your homes and at the accumulation of old magazines

the same time make a valuable

contribution to the war work.

It is recommended that news-

papers be tied in flat bundles about

12 inches high, magazine in 18

## WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

## Red Army Forges Deeper Into Poland, Southwest Drive Perils Nazi Troops; Allied Bombers Blast Western Europe; Strikes Show Marked Increase in 1943

(EDITORIAL NOTE: While opinions expressed in these columns may be those of the Western Newspaper Union, news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

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"War Is Hell"—Nowhere better is this expression indicated than in this Italian town of Castel Di Sangro, lying in rubble.

## SOUTHWEST PACIFIC:

## Jungle Fighting

Like the story of every other island in the South Pacific, U. S. troops have had to fight for every inch of ground on tropical New Guinea, where landings have placed doughboys in possession of the air strip on Cape Gloucester and a beachhead at Arave.

With the enemy dug well in the jungle, U. S. dive bombers and artillery helped clear the way for the infantry as it edged forward through the dense brush about Cape Gloucester. In a similar terrain at Arave, the enemy also fell back grudgingly.

While doughboys clawed forward in New Britain, other elements of the U. S. Sixth army bent southward along the New Guinea coastline toward a juncture with Australian troops driving northward. In this sector, the Allies aimed for the big Jap shipping base of Madang, supply point for their coastal positions.

## Ace Lost

Only hours after a dispatch from Guadalcanal had announced that pugil, 20-year-old Maj. Gregory ("Pappy") Boyington had shot down his 21st Jap to enter the selective list of U. S. air aces, his mother received word in Okanagan, Wash., that he was missing.

With a mother's faith she said: "If am confident he is all right and he will show up somehow, somewhere." Called "Pappy" because of his comparatively older age among the younger marine fliers, Boyington was a picturesquely dapper devil. Once, "Pappy" purposely led a squadron over a Jap airfield, circling the field slowly and daring the enemy to come up and fight. When they did, "Pappy" nailed three.

## STRIKES:

## Increase in '43

"Almost 14 million working days were lost through strikes in 1943 compared with 4 million in 1942, records of the Bureau of Labor Statistics indicated.

Approximately 3,337,000 workers were involved in the estimated 1943 walkouts, which topped the 1942 total of 2,939,000 men idle because of 2,968 strikes.

Last year's strikes doubled the 1942-43 average of 1,945, but it was pointed out that the depression prevailed during that period, and because of scarce employment walkouts were less frequent.

## EUROPE:

## Plaster Defenses

Flying over an 800-mile front, Allied bombers rapped hard at German defenses and industries in western Europe preparatory to the allied invasion.

But in Italy, bad weather restricted Allied progress over the mountainous terrain and equally bitter resistance in the future bound with the discovery that the Germans were constructing another "Siegfried Line" of concrete and steel several miles in depth, and just to the north of their present positions.

Continuing the softening up process of western Europe, airmen of the Royal Air Force and Royal Canadian Air Force lashed at German factories, the important naval base of Kiel, air fields strung over northern, and the channel coast, along which the Nazis reportedly have erected rocket guns.

## HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

**RIVER:** Vagaries of the White river in Indiana have shifted the boundary line between Decatur and Perry townships in Marion county. Two schools operated by the Decatur township authorities will have to be closed because of lack of funds. Property of the power company is no longer within the township's tax limits to provide revenue. It was pointed out.

**FARM HANDS:** Several organizations in New York state, working in collaboration, filled 210,000 farm jobs last year. Only 3 per cent of the workers were normally farm hands.

**TYPHUS:** Eleven "public" delousing stations have been set up in Naples, Italy, by Allied military health officers to combat typhus, which is spreading in the city.

## PROHIBITION: Before Congress

Prohibitionists lined up in support of Rep. Joseph R. Bryson's bill forbidding sale or manufacture of all beverages containing more than  $\frac{1}{2}$  or 1 per cent of alcohol for the duration as a congressional committee prepared for hearings on the measure.

As prohibitionists organized support, Rep. Emmanuel Celler said it was rumored that they had raised \$10,000,000 for lobbying in Washington.

Meanwhile, it was reported that the Anti-Saloon league would remain on the sidelines during consideration of the bill, devoting its efforts to persuading President Roosevelt to declare prohibition as a war measure under his present vast powers.

## COLLEGE FOOTBALL: No Deaths

For the second time in the 12 years he has compiled statistics on college football deaths, Dr. Floyd R. Eastwood of Purdue U. announced no fatalities due to football in 1943.

Possibly because of a lack of sufficient amounts and quality of equipment, nine deaths were recorded in high school football, Dr. Eastwood said.

Fatalities in the sport have gradually decreased since he started his survey in 1931, when 31 deaths were announced, Dr. Eastwood said.

Since most deaths have been due to head injuries, he suggested that grid leaders look into possible use of new crash helmets designed for military use during the present war.

Many hogs were left unsold as daily trading closed, and fearful that animals might contract pneumonia with snow and cold weather, some packers urged farmers to curtail shipments, while embargoes were imposed at other centers.

Tight labor conditions restricted packers' capacities, and in Chicago, at least 200 soldiers from the labor pool of a nearby camp were sent into the packing houses to help out.

## AGRICULTURE: Hogs Pour In

Shipment of 476,500 hogs within a 3-day span recently in comparison with 278,400 for the same period a year ago, reflected crowded conditions in 12 leading middlewestern markets, with only choice 200 to 300 pound pigs attracting \$13.75 per hundredweight.

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## RUSSIA:

## Tangle in Poland

Russian armies forged deeper into pre-war Poland in flaming action on the eastern front, overrunning territory the Reds claimed as their own, but the Polish government-in-exile insisted must remain part of the country.

As the Russ surged forward into pre-war Poland, Gen. Nichols Vautrin threw out a spearhead to the southwest, aiming toward the entrapment of 500,000 Nazis who had been forced into the big Dnieper river bend.

The Reds entered pre-war Poland at a time of heightening tension over their claims that the White Russian and Ukrainian provinces of the old state were racially related to Russia. Recently headed for Washington, D. C., to seek U. S. support for the Polish government in exile's case for retention of the territory was Premier Stanislaw Mikolajczyk.

## WAR PROFITS:

## Want Strict Control

Recommendations to change the present government procedure of recapturing excessive profits on war material by rewriting old contracts were bitterly opposed by Senators Walsh (Mass.), LaFollette ("Wini"), Lucas (Ill.) and Connally (Texas).

Two recommendations particularly opposed would exempt from present



Senators LaFollette and Walsh

## CANADIAN WHEAT: To Increase Imports

With approximately 350,000,000 bushels of U. S. wheat expected to be fed to livestock during the current feeding season, an additional 100,000,000 to 150,000,000 bushels will be brought in from Canada, according to government sources.

Because U. S. railroad cars will be sent into the interior of Canada this winter, from 25,000,000 to 50,000,000 more bushels of wheat will be imported than otherwise possible, due to the freezing of the Great Lakes.

Although the heavy dairy and poultry producing areas of the Northeast have bettered their feed situation, feed grains are needed in the drouthy south central regions, and protein meals are scarce in the southwest range districts. The total supply of feed concentrates was estimated at 100,000,000 tons.

## SOLDIERS' VOTE: Urge Uniformity

While congress wrangled over whether the federal government or the individual states should control soldier voting in 1944, the war and navy departments recommended that applications for absentee ballots be distributed by the services and local officials except such applications any time before election.

Other recommendations made by the army and navy were that voting material be designed for air carriage, and that a serviceman's vote be acknowledged by an officer no lower in rank than sergeant.

Ballots must be distributed to the servicemen by mail, the departments said, and although it is the army and navy policy to assist soldiers and sailors in voting, "nothing must interfere with the . . . primary obligation to wage a victorious war."

## RAIL TRAFFIC

The nation's railroads broke all transportation records last year, both for passengers and freight. Volume of freight hauled was 14 per cent above 1942, the previous high, and passenger traffic shot up 58 per cent over the preceding year.

Average load of freight per train was 1,118 tons, another record. Per car load was 41 tons. Average volume of passengers per car was greater than ever before. An increase of about 30 per cent in gross revenue is expected.

## Washington Digest

## Pressure Groups Point Way To Mild Fascism in U. S.

Government by Majority Rule Ceases to Exist When Various 'Interests' Begin Trading Votes for Concessions.

By BAUKHAGE  
News Analyst and Commentator.



## Who's News This Week

by Delos Wheeler Lovelace

Consolidated Features—WNU Release.

**NEW YORK.**—Nearly 50,000 soldiers from this war have joined the American Legion and by so much the efforts are advanced of National Committee to Take Over the Warren American Legion to induce the new veterans to "take over and make the organization theirs." And Atherton knows that if the new veterans do come in they will certainly take over, for they will outnumber the men of the last war three or four to one, at least.

Atherton, a 52-year-old lawyer, came up slowly to his No. 1 spot in Legion affairs. He was a charter member of a post in his home town of Stockton, Calif., but he was seven years winning the post commandery. And while steadily busy for the state Legion he was seven more years getting into the national picture.

Some of the people interviewed by Miss Kirchway gave her the impression that they saw in the set-up ahead "a successful, polite form of semi-fascism," which will prove acceptable to the key people of these groups. She doesn't agree with this herself and she believes British labor will be ready to fight it at the second election after peace but she believes these people believe it.

Two things came to my mind at once. First, that the President was thinking about the war and postwar problems, and to be brought back to earth with a bump was very much like being awakened by an alarm clock in the midst of an interesting dream. That was one thing I thought of.

Another was just what the United States, and the whole world for that matter, would be suffering from after the war and what the cure would be, if any.

Recently there have been several predictions that we were in "for a dose of mild fascism."

## Background for Belief

I never took that so very seriously until three news items were called to my attention. One was the statement that the CIO committee of political action was planned as a nucleus of labor party. That didn't seem to me to be a slightly collectivist aroma.

The next item was in the London News Letter, a little pamphlet edited by Commander King-Hall, member of parliament, the contents of which are cabled to Toronto, Canada, where it is printed as an American edition. King-Hall is an independent in politics with slightly conservative leanings.

Here are the excerpts to which I refer:

"There are many indications at what might be called the lower levels of domestic practice, that there are forces and tendencies at work in Britain which are going to produce great changes in our political system. Some of these changes were foreshadowed in a pamphlet entitled 'The Future of Party Politics' written by Commander King-Hall in 1937. It was there argued that a crisis, both domestic and international, was developing and demanding for its solution a high degree of national unity in Britain, and that the political expression of that unity, and the instrument for making it effective must be a national government . . ."

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As soon as powerful pressure groups can agree among themselves to trade concessions for votes, government by majority rule ceases and the moment you begin to break down the party lines, you are in danger of having one party which in the end is no party.

I can well understand how when anyone contemplates the problems of our domestic affairs in the post-war period, it is hard to keep one's mind on the war.

## The Change in Invasion Plans

It is a perilous thing these days to write more than an hour in advance of the invasion if one uses the future tense. The majority of opinion "as I write" (that's the saving line) believes that the invasion won't get under way until late spring although one report through Sweden said the Germans were expecting it between Christmas and New Year's.

But from the time that General Eisenhower was named as commander and the other changes in command were named, it appeared that the shape of the whole Allied plans for the assault on fortress Europa began to change rapidly. The speed with which the Russian armies were moving toward the German frontier set new forces in motion.

Suddenly the Mediterranean became less important in the picture as Washington saw it. It was pointed out that the British had a larger force of men, ships and supplies in that theater than the Americans. What had seemed the most important thing in Europe to America ever since our troops landed in North Africa suddenly grew less important. The Middle East, which had looked as if it were the gathering point of a new blow through the Balkans, perhaps with the help of Turkey, shrank on the horizon. The shifting of British commanders seemed to make this clear.

And then there were calls for greater speed on the part of the Allies. It seemed as if a fear that Russia might get to Berlin first was stirring new activity and there were stories that Spain was not as anxious for Allied friendship as she was to keep the "Bolsheviks" from getting all sides of this house. It is to that central body of opinion very well and adequately represented on all sides of this house. It is to that central body of opinion that I should like the government to appeal in a bolder and more forward-thinking policy . . ."

This speaker continues his appeal for a single "central body of command" and warns against "dividing a people (the British) who provide some bridge between the extreme capitalism of the United States and the extreme collectivism of Russia."

But even without these rumors, it grew clearer and clearer that the job ahead was colossal. Hopes that Germany could be brought down by bombing alone were given up. It really seemed as if her factories and indeed her cities had moved underground.

Ill record for a long while was just that of one more officer among many. Son of a colonel who had married a lively Irish daughter of an admiral, he was commissioned a lieutenant in 1903. He had become a captain when the First World War opened, and when it closed he was only a major, although one with the DSO, the MC and the Croix de Guerre.

After the war, however, Sir William commenced to unveil his vast knowledge of the problems of military organization, administration and supply.

## BRIEFS . . . by Baukhage

Ernesto Lecuona, chief song writer of Cuba and cultural attaché of the Cuban Embassy in Washington, has recently signed one of the largest song publishing contracts of Broadway history.

Colombia's entrance into the war November 27 makes it the 14th American republic to join actively in the struggle against the Nazis.

Suspender buttons are to be restored to men's work pants, according to an amendment of WPA's Order L-181.

The navy's famous PT boats and all they have accomplished is owed to the mahogany tree of Middle America and to the men of history who discovered its value in ship building.

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## Uncle Phil Says:

Envoy no man, for you know not his weaknesses and shortcomings. Those good old days were the days we did not have much—and didn't want much.

Gold does decrease a man's weight—but it also increases his conceit.

Viewing some of the loud pajamas received as Christmas presents, we predict insomnia is in for an increase.

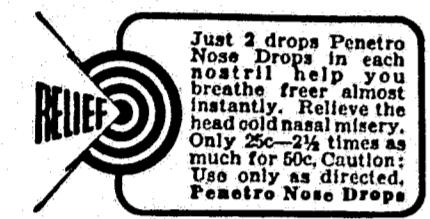
People are forever clamoring for a leader, and when they get one, he turns out to be a boss.

Unlike a woman, no man will stand pain because of his clothing, but he will stand discomfort.

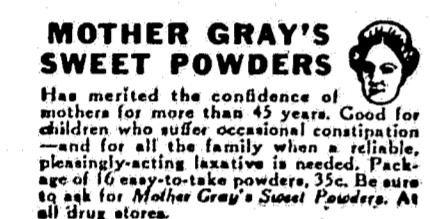
Intervals of not working are necessary for the well-being of any man.

### Chrysanthemum for Mussolini

When Hirohito conferred the Supreme Order of the Chrysanthemum upon Mussolini last summer, the name of the decoration was omitted in the Italian press and in news releases to other countries because, in Italy, the chrysanthemum is symbolic of death.



Shoulder a Gun—  
Or the Cost of One ★★  
BUY WAR BONDS



### SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER

The peak of tropical American rubber production, including guayule, was in 1912, when about 62,000 tons were produced in all countries. In 1940 the world's production of rubber was 1,289,492 tons, more than twice out of the Amazon Valley in all the years from 1857 to 1939 inclusive.

By the use of bud-grafted trees, the yield of rubber on Far East plantations in some cases has been increased from 500 to 1,500 pounds per acre a year.

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FIRST IN RUBBER

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## CARIBBEAN CONSPIRACY by BRENDA CONRAD ~

THE STORY SO FAR: Anne Heywood, beautiful daughter of a wealthy New York newspaper publisher, goes to Puerto Rico on an assignment for her father's paper. Also on the island are Pete Wilcox, a reporter on her father's paper, now a U. S. Army intelligence officer; Miguel Valera, a Puerto Rican educated in the United States who is a secret U. S. agent; Richard Taussig, an engineer whose identity as a German agent is about to be proved; and Russell Porter, a young American engineer and his wife, Sue, who has misguidedly given Mr. Taussig some valuable plans. Anne goes to Anne for help. Anne goes with Taussig to a remote villa. Outside Pete and Valera are waiting.

### CHAPTER XVIII

The palms of Anne's hands were coldly moist. "Where are we going?"

"I am going to Brazil," Mr. Taussig replied. "Here is some paper. Please don't try to be either funny or resourceful. It's quite useless, I assure you."

Anne sat without moving for an instant. What was the use? Then she thought quickly. It would be quite easy to leave some kind of a story. She picked up the pen. "Dear Pete," Mr. Taussig said. "I believe that is what you call him. I have decided to go away with Richard Taussig."

Anne looked at him steadily. "Couldn't you spare me that humiliation, Mr. Taussig? He won't believe it, I assure you. I must have told him already that I think you're unbelievably repulsive."

Mr. Taussig's face hardened into the mottled oyster-gray.

"Continue. I know it will be a shock after everything I have said, but that's the way it is. I want you to tell Mother and . . . Dad or Father, whichever you say . . ."

She wrote "Father." Pete would know she'd never say that.

"Tell them they are not to try to find me, because they couldn't. I'm sick of the kind of sheltered life I've always had and this is a chance I'll never get again. We're flying to Costa Rica. I'll write to you some time. Lots . . . or do you say loads . . . of love."

"I . . . might as well say loads, I guess," she said. She tried to keep her hand on the pen from shaking. All she ever said really was "Yours," or "All the best, angel." It seemed funny, writing to him. Everything inside her had gone a little numb, all of a sudden.

She pulled herself sharply together. "Where am I going?" she asked. "You are going half-way to São Paulo, with me, in the plane out there."

"Not all the way?"

Mr. Taussig shook his head. "Furthermore, it is a non-stop flight, if you're interested."

She looked at him calmly. "You mean, I'm getting out half-way there."

Mr. Taussig's mouth tightened to a thin line.

"Take this envelope up, put the letter in it and seal it. I don't want my own fingerprints on it. Thank you. Now take another piece of paper and write to Mrs. Porter."

"Dearest Sue,—Don't be shocked, darling, but I'm going away with Mr. Taussig. I decided it this morning. I'm sorry about Russell's plans. I shouldn't have taken them. I put them!"

He stopped. "Write wherever you did put them."

Anne wrote quickly: ". . . inside the skirt of my blue Jersey dinner dress in the closet."

She looked up, clear-eyed. "Yes?"

"Sign it, Miss Heywood."

She wrote, "Love—Anne."

Taussig motioned to her to push the letter over to him. He bent over, reading it slowly. His hands shook a little suddenly, his face was distorted and horrible. She shrank back instinctively. His hand moved toward the gun on the table, and stopped. He got up slowly.

"Miss Heywood," he said, his voice cold and deadly soft. "You are lying. Those plans are not in your room. Nor do you have a blue Jersey dinner dress in your closet."

Her voice was so steady and cool that she hardly recognized it.

"Nor, Mr. Taussig, do I have the plans. I haven't got them now, nor have I ever had them. The whole thing, as you will probably remember, was your own idea."

He stared at her, livid with fury.

In the darkened inner room Miguel Valera moved the bolt on the door slowly and silently. Pete touched his arm. "Wall!" he whispered.

The door to the inner room opened as Mr. Taussig was starting slowly toward Anne Heywood. Pete Wilcox took two quick steps to her side, thrust her back across the room. Taussig lurched for the revolver, and as Miguel Valera caught the corner of the desk pad and flicked the revolver onto the floor, he turned and dashed out onto the gallery. Diego Gongaro was already gone. A door slammed; there was the sound of running feet in the courtyard.

Pete dashed across the room . . . and Anne leaned back against the wall, sick with fear, for Miguel Valera caught Pete by the arm, holding him.

"Let them go, Wilcox! Let them go, I tell you!"

For an instant Pete stood there stunned. The motors of the plane

roared full speed; the propellers were a glancing whirring light.

"So that's the game?" Pete said. "Not on your life, Valera! I've got Taussig's charts and I'm getting them."

Pete tore loose, leaped to the gallery rail and over. Anne moved slowly forward, all the strength gone out of her. Miguel caught her in his arms and held her for a moment. He kept his arm around her, steady her, as they went to the gallery. The great motors of the black and yellow plane roared. Diego Gongaro was climbing in. Mr. Taussig, running doggedly and with surprising pace, was fifty yards off, far ahead of Pete Wilcox.

She hadn't shelled out the well-known plans."

"Then that's that," Anne said. "He grinned at her again.

"That's that," he said not very steadily.

He stood looking at the ashen tip of his cigarette a moment, his face sober and intent.

"And there's one other thing I'd like to say, Annie. I was all wet about Valera. I'd heard they might send somebody down like that, but I didn't get her to it until he turned all the papers over to me up at the coffee finca. I'd just like to say I'm sorry. He's a swell guy."

He tossed his cigarette over the balustrade into the surf.

"So I take it all back, Annie. I hope you'll be awfully happy. Because you're a swell guy too."

"Oh, don't," she said. "You'll break my heart."

"I wish I could," he said. "So long, I suppose."

He stopped. Miguel Valera was coming through the arcade. He came on over. "Am I—"

"I was just going," Pete said. "You did a swell job, Valera."

He held out his hand. Miguel grasped it. Neither of them spoke for an instant.

"Good luck," Pete said. "I hope you'll keep her out of trouble. So long, Annie."

Don Alvaro Valera's party for his son's home-coming had been scheduled for Sunday.

"He sees no reason for postponing it," Miguel told Anne. They were laughing at the Mallorquina. "It's a brave face to the world, I suppose. I'm reporting for duty next week, by the way."

He looked at her anxiously. "My father wants to talk to you, Anne."

"Have you told him?"

He nodded. "He thinks you're splendid."

She hesitated for a moment. "Miguel," she said. "There is one thing I must ask you. Who is the girl I asked you about before?"

He looked at her for a long time before he spoke. "She is . . . nobody, Anne."

"That's . . . not true," Anne said. "She's somebody. She followed me around, and she wrote me a note."

He looked down at his glass. Then he pushed his chair back and leaned forward.

"Look, my dear," he said. "She is largely responsible for both you and Wilcox not getting killed yesterday. She is . . . a friend of my uncle Diego Gongaro. She has been listening to their talk . . ."

Anne hesitated on the doorstep of the Valera home. Miguel took her arm reassuringly. They went through a tiled passage. In the broad lovely patio Don Alvaro came forward, bowing as he took her hand.

"It is a great pleasure, Señorita," he said.

He led her around to the right where a woman in a heavily beaded blue crepe dress was talking excitedly to another woman.

"This is Miss Heywood, Rosa. My niece, Mrs. Arias."

They shook hands. Anne glanced along the terrace. There was nothing but women, all sitting in a long row, chattering and laughing. She looked across to the other side. Over there was nothing but men. She listened with bewildered attention to the volatile stream that Mrs. Arias was pouring out into her ear about poor Graciela having to miss the party to be at her father's side in the hospital. Don Alvaro was gone. Miguel was the center of the group on the other side of the patio.

Anne took her place in the row of chairs and slipped the cool champagne punch a servant brought her. She was English.

"Is this your first Spanish party?" she asked with a smile. "I thought so. You look so bewildered."

"I guess I do, too," Anne laughed.

"Do we just stay here like this?"

"What would happen if we went over on the other side?"

"You'd go alone. I haven't got that much courage."

"But you're a boy talking to a girl."

"But he's engaged to her."

"Oh," Anne said. "And there he goes back to the men."

She and Miguel were engaged too, and he could have come and talked to her. But that was her fault. She hadn't wanted it public knowledge until her parents came. Anyway, he was watching her. She smiled across the patio at him.

At lunch they sat at a long table under the trees in a walled garden. Anne and Miguel and the Englishwoman and her husband. It was funny, except that still most of the women stayed in the house and the men stayed clustered in their own group. The crisp roast pig and the asopao were wonderful, but Anne felt the way she used to when she was a small child and they had Christmas dinner in the middle of the day. She was glad when Don Alvaro came and she could get up and move around.

"Oh, Pete!"

"Fletcher said she was swell. She didn't try to find an out of any sort."

"What's going to happen?"

"They're pretty human, even if they are tough," Pete said. "I guess they figured she'd learned her lesson. Anyway, they wouldn't have to talk to you."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

## FIRST-AID to the AILING HOUSE

By ROGER B. WHITMAN

WNU Features.

### MUSTY SMELL

Question: We live in a very old

garage flat over a clean private

garage. The woodwork, however,

is very old, and the windows high

and not suited to cross ventilation. There

is a musty smell in the house that

is present in some old houses, al-

though the place is not damp. We

have a gas furnace and there is

nothing to cause this odor except

aged woodwork. Can you suggest

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## THE GREAT BIG "IF"



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Carl L. Brown, Publisher

THURSDAY, JANUARY 20, 1944

## QUOTES OF THE WEEK

"The American people inherit an obsession that government itself is some sort of tyranny. Government only becomes a tyrant when the people abdicate their position as sovereign." —Miss Marguerite M. Wells, President, League of Women Voters.

"The countries that claim to be non-capitalistic are the most war aggressive... Where there is the wheel turning there is investment, which is capital. In the progress of America the people have put up their own capital and the government has remained their servant as our Constitution intends it to be." —Clifton (N. J.) Times.

"It would be just as disastrous for business to be unprepared for a sudden peace as for the Army and Navy to be unprepared for the prolongation of hostilities." —B. B. Geyer, advertising agency president.

"A devotion to the concept that complicated matters of government must increasingly be done through administrative agencies, is misguided if it leads in any degree toward the totalitarian goal of uncontrolled authority in any agent of government." —Charles F. Short, Jr., Chicago attorney.

"Initiative, resourcefulness, and independence of state and municipal government are being stifled by the trend toward greater dependence on and control by the Federal government." —Gov. Leverett Saltonstall, Massachusetts.

## SOUTH BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker spent Sunday afternoon at Lovell with Mrs. Parker's mother, Mrs. Buttern.

Mrs. Maud Judkins of Bethel spent Sunday evening at her sister's, Mrs. James Spinney's.

Mrs. Florence Hewey, who has been sick with flu, is now able to be out.

James Spinney came home Sunday and went back Monday to Portland.

Francia Brooks was in Norway Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Flagg and son called on his folks Sunday.

Mr. L. J. Holt and son Dennis of Miami, Fla., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Mabel Kirt.

## NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Frank Sweetser and son Robert visited her sister, Mrs. C. James Knights, last Thursday.

Everett Cole and his wife, Isca Judkins, were at Lewiston one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott entertained relatives from East Bethel Sunday.

Mrs. Herman Cole and mother, Mrs. Mary Ann Knights, were at Rumford Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Edgar Davis and son Philip visited Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Will Dyer.

Mrs. George Abbott has been working in Mann's mill.

Mrs. Arthur Whitman entertained her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hemingway, from Norway recently.

## BRYANT'S MARKET

## Friday-Saturday Specials

|                             |                 |
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| Florida Pineapple—Good Size | P. E. L.        |
| ORANGES                     | doz. 20c        |
| Texas Seedless              | lb. 4c          |
| GRAPEFRUIT                  | 4 for 29c       |
| Sunkist Navel               | PORK LOINS      |
| ORANGES                     | doz. 21c        |
| Fancy Iceberg               | Swift's Premium |
| LETTUCE                     | PORK            |
|                             | LIVER           |
|                             | lb. 22c         |

## 5 &amp; 10c SALE

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AND SEE WHAT A  
NICKLE OR A DIME  
WILL BUY.

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THE LOW DOWN  
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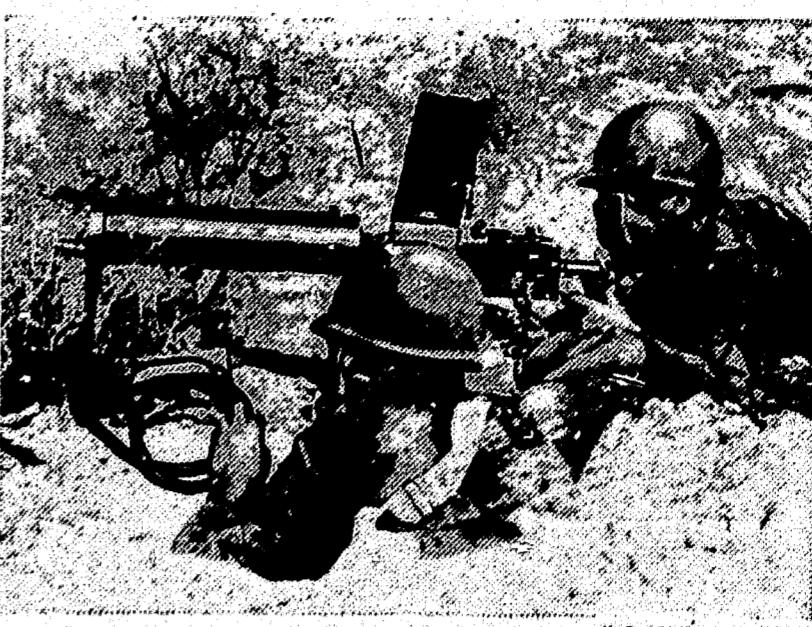
I just busted into a hospital. For two weeks I have had the radio at my elbow, and brothers and sisters, I am now an authority on programs. It never before entered my head that there could be such a tremendous amount of nothing on the air—24 hours continuous.

But I did hear one thing that sorta intrigued me. It was the news that the big medicine men there on the Potomac have decided that a new label is needed to take the place of the old one on their old bottle of "snake oil and pain killer." I mean the New D&L Brand. They are thinking of naming the new elixir "Win the War." Sound kinda foxy, but if sales drop off, you will scratch around for something that will help the business. They don't say that what is in the bottle is going to be changed so I guess it will be the same old stuff—taste and smell, the same. The label will have to be mighty pretty.

Yours with the low down,

JO SERRA

## Pulpwood Helps Make Gas Masks



U. S. ARMY SIGNAL CORPS

Infantrymen, wearing gas masks, man a heavy machine gun. The use of poison gas is a constant menace against which the Army must be prepared. Pulpwood is used to make gas mask filters. This is another reason why farmers are urged to sell their pulpwood to pulp mills, like Brown Company, Berlin, N. H., so it can go to war. The farmer's pulpwood is a profitable cash crop these days.

## EAST BETHEL

G. K. Hastings is ill again with the flu. B. W. Kimball and daughter, Mrs. J. H. Howe, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Kimball in Lewiston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Noyes, and Mrs. J. H. Howe were in Norway Friday.

Mrs. Fred Haines is quite ill at her home here.

Edgar Coolidge, Leslie Noyes, Almon Coolidge and Fred Haines are filling their ice houses with ice cut on North Pond. S. B. Newton has been hauling ice.

Jorgen Olson has been laid up with a very lame back for some time. He was better at one time but now he is unable to do any work.

Weather permitting, Alder River Grange will hold their installation Friday evening. Refreshments will be served afterward.

## NORTH NEWRY

Mrs. Vada Enman was the guest of her grandparents over Sunday.

Leon Enman and family of Rumford were in town Sunday. Their daughter, Naomi Enman, will resume studies at the Branch School.

Church Services were held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Hangom this week.

Mrs. Mina Stevens, school teacher at the Branch, has been ill with

the flu the past week. Mrs. Helen Morton substituted for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Newell were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Hangom.

Mrs. Francis Vall is on the sick list at this writing.

Master Paul Wight accompanied Rev. Scruton to Sunday River Sunday afternoon for the church services.

## SONGO POND

Albert Skillings is able to be out around again from his illness.

Hollis Grindle was ill Thursday and unable to work.

Mrs. Maud Grindle and daughter Evelyn have returned to their home having been at Irving Greens at North Waterford since Christmas week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle and Gloria were at Locke Mills Sunday to see Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and family.

Don Childs was in Norway Wednesday on business.

Leslie Kimball's crew are working in the woods.

Leon Millett is cutting ice at Fryeburg.

## WEST GREENWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fitzgerald and son, Carol were in Berlin, N. H. on business Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Brown assisted her.

## Most of your friends away?

If most of your friends are away now—in the service—doing war jobs—don't you feel left behind sometimes?

Why not get in the midst of this war? Join the WAC!

You can see new places, make new friends, learn interesting things—while you are doing vital work to speed victory.

The Army needs your help urgently. This is your chance!

For full details apply at the nearest U. S. Army Recruiting Station (your local post office will give you the address). Or write: The Adjutant General, Room 4115, Munitions Building, Washington, D. C.

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## The Fourth War Loan starts today.

Your Government wants you to support this loan by buying at least one extra \$100 Bond.

You may not find it easy to spare an extra \$100. But—

If the men in our armed forces can afford to give their limbs and lives—then certainly you can afford to at least \$100... or \$200... or \$300... or even \$500.

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## SCHOOL DAYS

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## NEWRY CORNER

Mrs. Helen Morton substituted in the Branch school several days last week during the illness of Miss Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Howard of Northwest Bethel were in town one day this past week.

Due to so much illness there was a small attendance at the Farm Bureau meeting on January 12. The next meeting is February 23.

## THE 4th WAR LOAN IS ON

Every family must buy a bond in order for us to fill our quota.

## THE BETHEL NATIONAL BANK

Member F. D. I. C.

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## BOSSEMAN'S DRUG STORE

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FARWELL & WIGHT

More details will be given out later.

Mrs. Gertrude Campbell spent several days recently with her sister, Mrs. Daisie Warren. From there she went to South Paris to visit her son and family.

Erma Richardson is ill at the Community Hospital. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Installations of the Pythian Sisters and Bear River Grange were held the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Livingston of Berlin were calling on friends in town and at East Rumford Sunday.

Mrs. Rosalie Palmer was in Bethel Friday, January 7.

Osman Palmer has left Tebbets mill and is yarding wood at the lower end of Indian Pond.

Lee Sumner was home Sunday from Bethel where he is working this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Curtis of West Paris went Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews.

Little Suzanne Andrews is ill with the flu.

Harlan Andrews, who has been ill for a number of weeks is now able to take short drives.

## WEST PARIS

Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Correspondent

West Paris 4-H Club, the Go-Getters, met in the home of their leader, Mrs. Helen Forbes Friday, Jan. 14. Business was discussed and officer elected as follows:

President Ruth Furr

Vice Pres. Joyce Winter

Secretary Marion Smith

Treasurer Irene Ross

Cheer Leader, Bergi Bruey

Club Reporter, Priscilla Cole

It was voted to bring from one to three cents each meeting.

The Universalist Youth Fellowship gave a very nice service at the church Sunday morning, their topic being "Representative Men of the Bible." Those who had sermons were Lee Dymant, Everett Chase, Milton Imman, Bergi Bruey and Rachel Dunham. Marilyn Bonney read the scripture. Georgena Buck offered prayer and Audrey Chase conducted the service. A chorus of 16 young girls furnished excellent music accompanied by Mrs. Lyndall Farr.

Sunday morning, Jan. 23, will be observed as Women's Day at the Universalist Church and members of the Glad Hand Club will give the service.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Penley and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Munro went to Boston Monday. Mr. Munro will attend the annual Wood Turners meeting.

Ellsworth H. Curtis and family have moved to Portland. Mr. Curtis is employed at the ship yard.

Miss Muriel Emery is at home from Portland recuperating from surgery for appendicitis.

## ROWE HILL

Mrs. Ray Hanscom and Mrs. Everett Cross were at Newton Bryant's Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Colby Ring entertained some of the neighbors Saturday night. Games were played and refreshments were served. A good time was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Bryant, Wimber and Sylvia Ring were in Etetna last Friday on business.

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Mrs. Mildred Sorenson was at Portland recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swan and family of Bethel were Sunday guests of Mrs. Harry Swan and family. Mrs. Nellie Pratt of Norway recently visited her daughter Mrs. Henry Swan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeanne Ring were at Mechanic Falls Sunday to attend the funeral of Morton T. Abbott. Mr. Abbott was a former resident of this place and had many friends in town.

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## ALBANY TOWN MOUSE —

Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lapham and children Tony and Norman of Bath were weekend guests at Warren Lapham's.

Phyllis Morrill of West Bethel stayed at Marion Lapham's one night recently.

Mrs. L. J. Andrews visited her brother Fred Hazelton at North Waterford, Sunday.

Junior Lapham was at Parker Connor's Saturday, and attended the movies in the afternoon.

L. J. Andrews hauled wood for A. A. Bruce recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews and children were Sunday visitors at Fred Hersey's, at North Waterford.

Earl and Alberta McAllister and Shirley Andrews visited the Scribner children Saturday.

Muriel Lapham, Charlotte Scribner and E. C. Lapham were in Norway.

Clyde Hall has been ill with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister and daughter Elsa were in Bethel recently.

Alfred Leighton was at Ray Andrews' Thursday on business.

Tony Lapham of Bath and Muriel Lapham were at Junior Lapham's Sunday.

Earlon, Lois and Patty Scribner were dinner guests at Earl McAllister's recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews and children and Mrs. L. J. Andrews called at Harlan Bumpus Sunday. Other callers were Rev. W. L. Bull, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hazelton.

Eleven attended church at the Albany Town House Sunday.

## FRANKLIN JUVENILE GRANGE

The officers of Franklin Juvenile Grange for 1944 were installed Saturday evening, Jan. 15, in a very pleasing manner. Miss Lettie Davis was the Instilling Officer. She was assisted by Miss Margaret Howe as assistant, Miss Clara Whitman as Mutual, and the Misses Ramona Farnum and Emma Davis as Regalia and Emblem Bearers. The officers were installed as follows:

Master Merle Noyes

Overseer Phyllis Hathaway

Lecturer Besie Dunham

Warden Burton Hathaway

Asst. Warden Roland Dunham

Cook Alice Farnum

See and Treas. Alberta Dunham

Gate Keeper Basil Green

Post Master Morgan

F. A. S. Harriet Hathaway

Matron Edith Hathaway

Matron Millie as Ceres was unable to be present. Refreshments of ice cream, bars and popcorn were served after the installation.

## BRYANT POND

Mrs. Inez Whitman, Correspondent

Mrs. Pauline Thurston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thurston of Portland, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bean the past week end.

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## HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Hot water or soapsuds will remove chocolate candy from upholstry.

To simplify mending, look over clothing regularly and watch for needed repairs. It is much easier to reinforce weak places or mend small holes than to wait until major repairs are needed.

When sewing, a medicine dropper filled with water and run along a seam which is to be pressed, is the simplest method of dampening the material.

Never beat pillows vigorously, but gently fluff them up each day to force air around the feathers.

If soup looks a little on the gravy side, home economists suggest tossing a lettuce leaf into the pot. It will absorb the grease and may be removed as soon as it has done its job.

Strained fat used in peanut butter bars, chocolate drop cookies, and spice cookies, may be used with splendid results. The fuzziest member of the family will never guess the shortening was used before.

## NO ASPIRIN FASTER

than genuine, pure St. Joseph Aspirin. World's largest seller at 104. None safer, none surer. Demand St. Joseph Aspirin.

Walk on Gems  
Pulverized garnets (in coarse grain), mixed with a plastic or resin binder, are now applied to decks, passageways, etc., of our battleships, cruisers and smaller craft to prevent accidents due to slipping.

**GROVE'S COLD TABLETS**  
A Real Medicine  
Grove's Cold Tablets are prompt in action—deserve its results. They're a multiple medicine—an internal medicine, too, to work in a business-like way on all these usual cold symptoms at the same time. Relieve headache—ease body aches—reduce fever—relieve nasal stuffiness. Grove's Cold Tablets give wonderful comfort! Take exactly as directed. Rest, avoid exposure. Ask your druggist for Grove's Cold Tablets.

Save Money—Get Large Economy Size  
FOR FIFTY YEARS KNOWN TO MILLIONS AS BROMO QUININE COLD TABLETS

Shark's Small Teeth  
Teeth of the whale shark, largest living fish, are only one-eighth of an inch long. The whale reaches a length of 60 feet and weighs 25,000 pounds.

**WOMEN FOR THOSE SPECIAL TIMES YOU NEED HELP**  
HUMPHREYS  
"11" helps  
to relieve  
the discomforts  
of irregular or scanty periods due to functional causes. Long advised by Dr. Humphreys for his own patients, 30%. All druggists.  
**HUMPHREYS**  
F. D. Stevens  
FAMILY MEDICINES SINCE 1854

—Buy War Savings Bonds—

## Acid Indigestion

Reduced in 5 minutes or double money back. When a strong stomach and robust gallbladder are required, the acid indigestion is relieved. The fastest acting medicine for dyspepsia and indigestion. It is the only medicine that can be double your money back on return of bottle or box. Use it all day long.

Lacy Cuckoo  
The European cuckoo bird lays its small egg on the ground and then picks it up and deposits it in the nest of another bird.

**CHECK-IN FOR Real Hotel Value IN MIDTOWN NEW YORK**  
SINGLES \$12.50 Dbl. \$25.00  
Double w/ Bath \$35.00  
Plus restaurant and tax  
CITY HOTEL MANAGEMENT  
Reservations Accepted and  
Booked in Other Buildings of Hotel City

**HOTEL Tudor NEW YORK**

## Star Dust STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO

By VIRGINIA VALE  
Released by Western Newspaper Union.

THE film critics of New York's newspapers voted Paul Lukas the best actor of 1943 for his performance in "Watch on the Rhine" (at the same time voting the picture the year's best), but they were a little late. Warner Bros. had handed Lukas a tribute of their own some two weeks earlier for the same performance; theirs was a long-term contract. His first picture under the new contract will be "Night Action." It is based on an original story by Norman Krasna, with George Sklar doing the screen story.

The Warners came out very well in those film critics' voting sessions—Ida Lupino was voted the year's best actress for her work in "The Hard Way."

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Hard Way," with Katharine Hepburn as runner-up for her performance in "For Whom the Bell Tolls."

Jean Pierre Aumont, Metro star whose last film before joining the Fighting French was "The Cross of Lorraine," relays the following letter from General De Gaulle concerning the film: "I congratulate you for having shown such a beautiful picture, the active participation in the resistance of all Frenchmen under the cross of Lorraine. It is fitting that this silent and bloody war be put before the eyes of our true friends, particularly those of the United States of America." There's a laurel wreath worth having.

Fortune's effect on Cupid: there's a scene in "Rising High" where Dorothy Lamour and Dick Powell are shown standing on a boat landing in Technicolor moonlight. Dick tries a tentative kiss. "I can't make out," says Dorothy, "whether you are careful, indifferent, or just plain dumb." "Oh," replies Dick, "those were just practice kisses. I think I have the range now."

This year starts promisingly for Marjorie Riordan, who has the coveted role of Belle Davis' daughter in "Mr. Skeffington." Her contract was purchased from Sol Lesser by Jack Warner following her hit in "Stage Door Canteen."

Euline Martin was only three weeks old when her mother took her to the RKO studio to play Ginger Rogers' baby in "Tender Comrade." Producer David Hembstead asked her mother to get the infant a social security card. "Euline already has a card," was the reply. "This is her second picture. When 16 days old she played in 'Buffalo Bill.'

Greta Christensen, Chicago high school girl, got her contract with RKO through posing for department store advertisements. Dale Harris, 17, was striking pins in a bowling alley when he was seen by the talent scout for Vanguard Films; he makes his screen debut in Solznick's "Since You Went Away." Looks as if all roads lead to the movies nowadays.

The greatest radio scoop of the war, according to the Associated Press, was made by marine Sgt. Roy O. Maypole, when he made his radio recording of the historic landing at Empress Augusta bay on Bougainville Island. The recorded broadcast will be released to the public through marine corps headquarters in Washington. Maypole's the former producer of CBS' wacky "Missionaries Go Shopping."

Resemblance to Frank Sinatra brought good luck to ex marine Harry Landers. Discharged from the service after being wounded in action, he got a job as a studio laborer. His next job was as stand-in for Sinatra in "Higher and Higher." When the singer left the troupe he asked that Landers be kept on as a dress extra. Producer Tim Whelan then gave him a minor role in the musical.

Buying in season is your greatest help for vegetables and fruits.

Rich-in-vitamin fruits and vegetables can be found in winter, too!

Recipes are as good as what you put into them. Economizing on too many items in the recipe will give you—you know that. If you want precious ingredients in recipes use them sparingly these times for the recipes with a pound of this and a dozen of that have been put away for the duration.

Save Used Fats!

When you have a good meal, save the fat.

It can be used for frying, baking, or

boiling. It can be used for

cooking, or for

any other purpose.

It can be used for

## 'FREEDOM FROM REGULATION' IS WHAT PAXTON, ILL., WANTS

### Dislike of Government Rulings and Redtape Evidenced by Citizens of Midwest Community.

By BARROW LYONS

(EDITOR'S NOTE—This is one of a series of articles written for this paper by Barrow Lyons, staff correspondent of Western News- paper Union. He has just completed an extended trip through the nation and in these reports gives his first-hand impressions of what rural America is thinking as we enter the third year of war and the first weeks of a presidential election year. Any opinions expressed are the writer's and not necessarily those of this newspaper.)

PAXTON, ILL.—Dislike of Washington and all its works could hardly be found in more concentrated form than in Paxton, Illinois, a town of 3,200 persons in the heart of the corn belt. Only a few citizens will admit there is anything the New Deal has done that has helped this county seat.

But Ford county holds one of the most prosperous rural communities in Midwestern United States. Before the war, in January, 1939, the deposits in Paxton's two banks totaled \$1,631,000; but today they sum up to \$4,532,000, an increase of 178 per cent in four years. Paxton is one of the most conservative places in conservative Illinois, which Wendell Willkie has called "the blackest spot on my map." Paxton spurns Willkie as "nothing but a New Dealer."

Clothing merchants in Paxton are making more money than at any time since the boom days of the '20s. A farmer recently calculating his income tax figured he had made a clear profit before taxes of more than \$20,000 in this crop year on a gross income of \$27,000—and he hadn't sold his 1943 corn crop yet. Most of his income was realized on last year's corn he had held.

So easy is it for shops to sell what merchandise they can get that advertising is at a minimum. Nevertheless, Paxton boasts both a daily and weekly newspaper. The Paxton Daily Record, a four-page paper, sells enough advertising space to break about even; but the Paxton Record, a weekly, makes money in spite of the fact that national automobile advertising has virtually disappeared, and the oil companies buy only about one-tenth of the space they used to take.

#### Publisher Looks Ahead To Postwar Years

Herbert N. Stevens, joint owner with his brother, Harold H. Stevens, of the Paxton newspapers and printing shop, says they are running their plant now with 13 employees instead of the customary 20. But Mr. Stevens is certain that after the war good times for the printer will



Large share of farmers' income around Paxton comes from corn.

return, because there will be sales advertising as never seen before. No depression is in sight for the immediate postwar years. Mr. Stevens is sure—so he has just ordered a new press to be delivered when peace arrives. He also feels confident that the New Deal regime will be a thing of the past then. He explained:

"Ford County has had about as much of Washington as it can stand. I wouldn't say Paxton was just Republican. There are some Republicans around here who have voted for Roosevelt, you know. Party designations are losing significance. We are just as anti-Willkie as we are anti-Roosevelt. We think he's nothing but a New Dealer."

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Mr. Stevens can't understand why the government should want 35 million dollars to advertise to get people

#### As Paxton, Illinois, Views It . . .

Let T. M. Brady, manager, explain Paxton's REA cooperative: "We have paid all interest and principal when due, and have made advance payments on principal. Our kilowatt-hour consumption is growing steadily with increased use of electricity on the farm. War has given an additional impetus to the introduction of electrical labor-saving devices. Farmers are now in

## JUST TELLING

The Rub  
The tired-looking man sat facing the divorce lawyer. "So you want a divorce from your wife," said the attorney. "Aren't your relations pleasant?"

"Mine are," came the answer, "but hers are simply terrible!"

Her car stalled at the corner and the traffic light changed, red, yellow, green; red, yellow, green. The polite policeman stepped up beside her car and asked: "What's the matter, lady, ain't we got any colors you like?"

On Guard  
Gushing Hostess—You know, I've heard a great deal about you. Absent-minded Politician—Possibly, but you can't prove a thing.

The Goal  
Pop—Now be good while I'm out. Offspring—I'll be good for a nickel. Pop (reprovingly)—Son, you'll never be a real son of mine until you're good for nothing.

Handicapped  
"My papa got an invitation to be the judge at the spring flower show." "What does your papa know about flowers?" "That's just the point. A judge is supposed to be neutral, and everybody says my papa doesn't smell so very good."

If you were to say the first bugle call of the day in the Army is "Keeville"—you'd be wrong. It's "First Call." But you probably know what cigarette gets first call with Army men—it's Camel. And Camel is the favorite with men in all branches of the service—Navy, Marines, Coast Guard, too. (Based on actual sales records from service men's stores.) And though there are Post Office restrictions on packages to overseas Army men, you can still send Camels to soldiers in the U. S., and to men in the Navy, Marines, and Coast Guard wherever they are. Adv.

Incidentally, it should be noted that there is not a labor union office in Ford county and the farmers are strongly anti-labor. In the last election the Republicans scored about five votes to every two Democratic votes, the latter coming mostly from railway workers, a few craftsmen and some tenant farmers.

Carl Shelby, Paxton's grain dealer, gave the clearest summary to Paxton's viewpoint. He is a business man, but his trade concerns the farmer's welfare most closely.

#### 'Too Much Regulation' From Washington

"The thing that bothers us most is that there is too much regulation. The farm program has a tendency to tell the farmer exactly what he can do—and that applies pretty much to the business man too. These regulations were put on when times were hard and prices low, and conditions were benefited by regulation. There seems to be no tendency to drop them when times show improvement. The men in Washington made their program so that a man was penalized if he didn't go along with it. He was almost forced to follow to be in good standing with his neighbors.

"In the grain business we were forced to take whatever the Commodity Credit corporation allowed us to handle, do what they ordered us to do and wait until they got good and ready to pay us for that service. When a fellow is used to doing what he likes, and then someone comes along and tells him what he has to do—well, that gets under the skin.

"What we liked about the old free competition system was that foresight and intelligence were worth something. You might lose money in hard times, but you were allowed to make it in good times, and if you didn't waste it you generally came out all right in the long run. Now they don't let us make money when times are good, and they can't give us any assurance that times will always be good. If they could do that we wouldn't mind giving up some freedom."

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No wonder Paxton, Illinois, Views It . . .

## PATTERNS

SEWING CIRCLE

### How To Relieve Bronchitis

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germs, laden phlegm and mucus from the airways and help soothe tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly relieves the cough or you are to have your money back.

### CREOMULSION

for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

Wildcat Was Sacred  
The wildcat was once a sacred animal in Egypt.

### "SPORTS PREVIEW"

Featuring



### ARCH WARD

FRIDAYS

10:15 to 10:30 P. M.

Sponsored by  
WILSON SPORTING GOODS CO.

OVER

THE YANKEE NETWORK  
of  
NEW ENGLAND

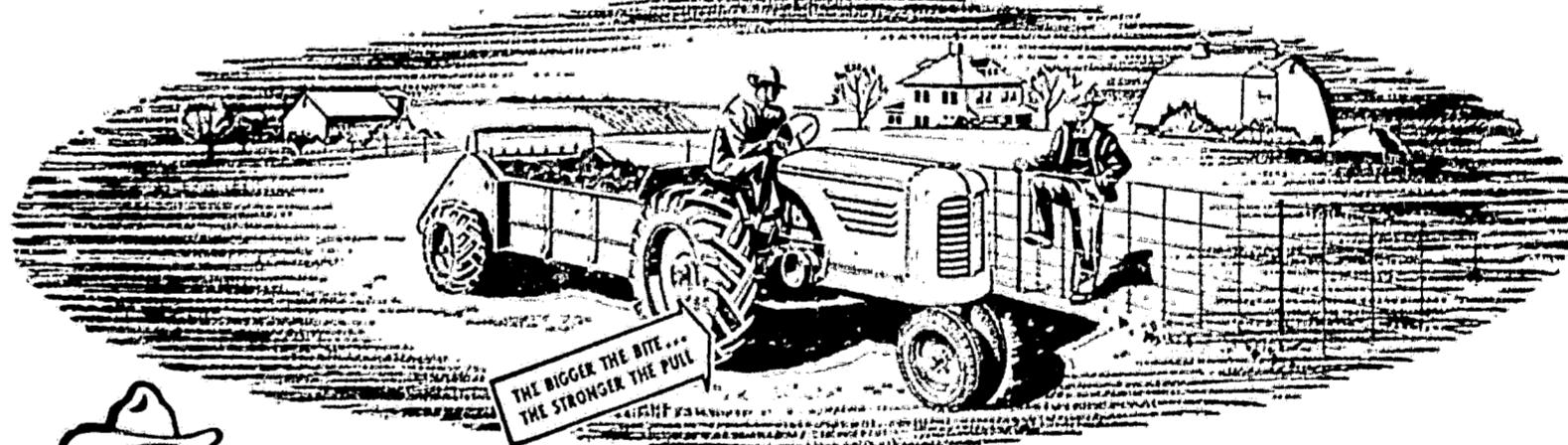
### Slip or Jumper

GOOD planning brings you in this one pattern, a clever jumper pattern for a child—which can also be used for a slip! The same pattern also includes a blouse to wear under the jumper, panties to wear under the slip. Pattern No. 8562 is designed for sizes 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 years. Size 3 jumper requires 1 1/2 yards 30-inch material, blouse 1 yard; slip and panties 2 1/4 yards with 4 yards lace edging.

SEWING CIRCLE PATTERN DEPT.  
106 Seventh Ave. New York  
Enclose 20 cents in coins for each pattern desired.  
Pattern No. .... Size.....  
Name.....  
Address.....

## Get EXTRA TRACTION AT No Extra Cost

and BETTER CLEANING, LONGER LIFE and EXTRA QUALITY TOO!



WITH food production one of our most important war production programs, you need the tractor tire which gives—Extra Pulling Power In All Soil Conditions.

That tire is the Firestone Ground Grip. Here's why:

The Firestone Ground Grip is the only tractor tire that has a patented tread design which provides up to 215 extra inches of traction bar length per tractor, providing a full traction bite, greater drawbar pull—and less fuel is used.

The Firestone Ground Grip is the only tractor tire that has the triple-braced tread design. There are no broken bars in the tread to cause traction leaks which make the tire slip and spin.

The Firestone Ground Grip is the only tractor tire that has a scientifically designed tread with tapered bars at just the right angle for the tread to clear automatically as it pulls. And Vitamic Rubber provides longer life by resisting the action of the sun and the weather.

No wonder Firestone Ground Grip tires are first choice of farmers everywhere! No other tire has these exclusive extra values—and they cost no more than ordinary tires. See your nearby Firestone Dealer or Firestone Store today and get the tires that give you most for your money.

Listen to the Voices of Preston with Richard Crooks and the Firestone Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Howard Barlow, Monday evenings, over N. Y. C.

**Firestone**  
GROUND GRIP TIRES

Mr. Extra Traction represents the Extra Bar Length that gives Superior Pulling Power to FIRESTONE GROUND GRIP TRACTOR TIRES

MORE FARM TRACTORS ARE EQUIPPED WITH FIRESTONE GROUND GRIP TIRES THAN WITH ANY OTHER MAKE

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Twenty-five words or less, one week, 25 cents; second week, 15 cents; each additional week, 10 cents.

Each word more than 25, one cent per word the first week, and one-half cent per word each succeeding week.

### FOR SALE

**ALL WOOL YARN FOR SALE** from manufacturer. Samples and knitting directions free. H. A. BARTLETT, Harmony, Maine.

**UNUSUAL VALUES IN PERSONAL STATIONERY.** Good printing of all descriptions. Cardboards, papers, envelopes—many kinds and sizes. THE CITIZEN OFFICE, Tel. 100.

### WANTED

**WANTED—GIRL for housework—** No washing, good wages, one child in family. Call Rumford 885. MRS. PHIL MARX.

**WANTED—Second hand pre-war baby carriage.** MRS. MERVILLE ROWLAND, corner Elm and Railroad Streets.

**WANTED—Grey Birch, small sizes, for War work.** Spot cash. WILSON L. BROWN, Madisonville, Maine.

### LOST

**LOST—RATION BOOK IV.** MANNING T. CHAPMAN.

**LOST—RATION BOOK III.** FRANCIS OGDEN.

### MISCELLANEOUS

**Leave Shoes at Chamberlin's** Store for repair and clothes to clean. Wednesday and Saturday. EXCEL CLEANERS AND DRYERS, INC., Auburn, Maine. 441.

**LEAVE SHOES AT EARL DAVIS' for repair.** RICHARD'S SHOE SHOP, Gorham, N. H. 401.

### DIED

In Merchant Hall, Jan. 13, Morton T. Abbott, formerly of Bethel, aged 72 years.

In Bethel Jan. 13, Ralph Herren of Greenwood, aged 72 years.

### SCHOOL SAVINGS

Week of Jan. 17

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